



# Greene Light

## GREENEBUCS

### IT IS NATIONAL AMTRYKE MONTH!!!

Keeping with tradition GreeneBucs marks the second annual National Amtryke Month by sponsoring several tryke giveaways in October. The City of Beavercreek presented the club with a proclamation declaring October

**“AMTRYKE MONTH”**

At each lunch meeting an Amtryke is being given away to a child.

Thanks to one of our members Walt Overholser, GreeneBucs received a grant from the Ronald McDonald House Charities. Six trykes were given away at McDonalds on Col. Glenn Hwy. (see page 2 for highlights) .Two Amtrykes were also given away to Fairbrook Elementary school in Beavercreek.

National Ambucs requested that clubs concentrate their efforts on celebrating the AMTRYKE and its benefits to children within our communities. GreeneBucs members work hard to give the Amtryke its well -deserved recognition within this community.



Lunch meeting tryke giveaway

AN APPROVED MESSAGE BY THE CURRENT GREENEBUCS

Dear GreeneBuc Members,

Well, the weather has changed to fall and that means the Membership Drive is in full swing. As a matter of fact one new member has already been recruited. Actually it is a former member who joined us for lunch on October 4th and decided it was time to “do it again”. A warm welcome to Jerry Thornton, a welcome addition to our club. (Watch out Jerry! We plan to put you to work ASAP!!)

Whose turn will it be to recruit #2?

If you have not already been informed as to which team you belong, there is a listing later on in the newsletter. Remember this is a team effort (as are ALL GreeneBucs/AMBUCS activities). Points are awarded for guests at meetings (prospective members), signing up Friends members and full and associate members. REMEMBER: If you don’t ask, it is unlikely that someone will join.

Our next big event will be the Christmas Auction. Pat Buckholt , Chair for this event is looking for lots of volunteers for that evening. Several subcommittee chairs have been filled, but there are still a couple just waiting for someone to volunteer-and all committees still need helpers. **Because of that I am inviting the ENTIRE membership to attend the next Board meeting- Monday, NOVEMBER 13- at 6:00 pm at my house-2340 El Cid Drive, Beavercreek.** My only request-please give me a heads up if you are going to join us as I will be providing dinner. And, to keep the meeting to a “tolerable” length, I would ask all committee chairs (except Paul and Roger) to submit their reports to me (via email if possible) by Thursday, November 9(email:Dsj4290805@aol.com). I will then email them to all members thereby saving meeting time.

I’m sorry that I was out of town for the Ronald McDonald/GreeneBucs tryke giveaway. I know it was an event that melted many hearts. I hope someone took many pictures to share with me and to put in the scrapbook.

Enjoy the beautiful foliage; plan to join us at lunch for our meetings and try and bring at least 1 guest.

Gussie



### GreeneBucs receives grant from Ronald Mc Donald House

The establishment of Ronald McDonald House Charities Community Grant Program in memory of McDonald's founder Ray A. Kroc confirms the McDonald's commitment to "lift kids to a better tomorrow". Ronald McDonald House Charities is dedicated to improving the lives of children and their families by operating the Ronald McDonald House and making grants to other not-for-profit organizations throughout the greater Miami Valley Region. Ronald McDonald House Charities has been providing a "home away from home" for more than 25 years has awarded nearly 1.5 million to other children's organizations throughout the Miami Valley Region.

On Sunday, October 16, 2006, several volunteers, tryke recipients, their families, Ronald Mc Donald, Wright Patt Credit Union affiliates, and McDonald's regional corporate employees participated in an AMTRYKE give away. Sue Haywood "the AMTRYKE MAMA from Texas and Joyce Peet OT were joined by the funny red headed Ronald who from all appearances seemed to really enjoy the kids as much as they enjoyed his presence at this special event.

GreeneBucs appreciates all the efforts from Ronald for this great event!!! And extends A BIG THANK YOU from all the members and recipients of AMTRYKES.





Lee Ravlin fills another banner to display from the numerous awards that GreeneBucs were awarded at the Fall Conference.



Brian Gregory  
U.D. Dayton  
Flyers Coach  
speaks at  
GreeneBucs  
luncheon  
meeting.



**OCTOBER MARKS THE BEGINNING OF BRANDING TIME**

Help GreeneBucs sponsor the Branding Time Contest "Build an Amtryke Puzzle" in conjunction with ask 10 and Win!! Come to the meeting and invite a guest our next speaker will be Dale Huffman –Human Interest writer. See a child receive an AMTRYKE !!!

**VOLUNTEER/ NEEDED!!!!**

**CHRISTMAS AUCTION**

**WED. DEC 6TH, 2006**

**6 PM COCKTAILS AND HORS D' OEUVRE**

**7 PM DINNER**

**COST \$20 PER PERSON**

**CORPORATE TABLES FOR 8 \$150.00**

**SILENT AND LIVE AUCTION ITEMS**

**ROGER'S TEAM**

**PAUL'S TEAM**

- Amanda Alerding
- Debra Boesh
- Pat Buckholt
- Clete Buddelmeyer
- Sue Eakle
- Louise Gibson
- Jaime Jones
- AJ McDougale
- Colleen Murphy
- Lea Ravlin
- Ryan Roth
- Joyce Peet
- Joe Stadnicar
- Devlynn Tanner
- Jerry Thorton
- Frank Weaver

- Stephen Boesh
- Bill Buckholt
- Barbara Caudill
- Alan Eakle
- Joe Graf
- Gussie Jones
- Patricia McWilliam
- Charlotte O'Meara
- Walt Overholser
- Joanne Petering
- Cathy Peters
- Lori Staugler
- Stephen Wheeler
- Sandy Zimmerman
- Scott Zimmerman
- Mike Zwick



Joe Salvia from Sams & Jo Anne Collins from Gold Wing Riders try out an AMTRYKE

**SAFETY DAYS**

At Sam's Warehouse with GreeneBuc's volunteers, Gussie Jones, Nicholas Pierron, and Sandy Zimmerman in front of Visibility display for AMTRYKES.

**FIREWOOD PROJECT**

**Positions available immediately!!!**

- Wood Splitter (no skill required)
- Wood deliverers (valid drivers license & ability to ask for directions)

All equipment, supplies, & vehicles will be supplied.

**BENEFITS INCLUDED!!!**

Flexible hours-fresh clean air-exercise  
A warm heart knowing a kid will receive a tryke from your generosity.

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## GreeneBucs Events Calendar

*REMEMBER: GREENEBUCS LUNCH IS HELD THE 1ST & 3RD WED. OF EVERY MONTH 12-1 AT THE BEAVERCREEK GOLF COURSE  
1ST OF MONTH IS SPEAKER MEETING : THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH IS BIG HAT MEETING AND RAFFLE.*

### NOVEMBER 2006

**NOVEMBER 1  
DALE HUFFMAN  
HUMAN INTEREST SPEAKER  
DDN COLUMNIST**

**NOVEMBER 1  
BIG HAT CHRISTMAS  
AUCTION MEETING  
PAT BUCKHOLT  
6:00 PM**

**NOVEMBER 13  
BOARD MEETING  
GUSSIE JONES  
ALL MEMBERS INVITED**

**NOVEMBER 15  
BIG HAT MEETING**

**NOVEMBER 23, 2006  
THANKSGIVING**



### DECEMBER 2006

**DECEMBER 6  
CHRISTMAS AUCTION  
6-9  
BEAVERCREEK GOLF CLUB**

**DECEMBER 11  
CHRISTMAS SHOPPING**

**DECEMBER 13  
CHRISTMAS WRAPPING  
PARTY**

**DECEMBER 25  
MERRY CHRISTMAS**



### JANUARY 2006

**JANUARY 3  
SPEAKER MEETING**

**JANUARY 8  
BOARD MEETING  
TBA**

**JANUARY 13  
MONTE CARLO  
FISH FRY  
BROWNS BACKERS  
6 PM-12:00**

**JANUARY 17  
BIG HAT LUNCHEON  
MEETING**

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